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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated November 23, 2005, for which a time period of one month ending December 23, 2005 is set for which to respond, please replace the Appeal Brief filed on October 12, 2005, with the amended Appeal Brief attached hereto. The amended Appeal Brief corrects the deficiencies identified in the Notification. Specifically, the amended Appeal Brief identifies the co-pending Appeal of related application serial number 09/817,323. Additionally, Appendix IV has been updated to include the citations for the cases discussed in the arguments relating to Claim 4.

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Therefore, Applicant respectfully submits that the amended Appeal Brief complies with the provisions of 37 CFR 41.37. Furthermore, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the amended Appeal Brief.

Applicant respectfully submits that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, that this response is timely.

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